

REMARKS

Applicants have amended the description to correct typographical errors and to secure correspondence with the drawings.

The headings below are numbered to correspond with the heading numbering used by the Examiner.

2. Objection to Claims 14, 18, 19, 22, and 25.

Claims 14, 18, 19, 22, and 25 have been amended to depend from Claims 13, 17, 18, 21 and 23, respectively.

For the above reasons, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of this objection.

3. Objection to Claims 15 and 24.

Claims 15 and 24 have been amended to depend from Claims 13 and 23, respectively.

For the above reasons, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of this objection.

4/5. Claims 2-12, 14-21, 24-30 satisfy 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph.

At pages 2-3 of the Office Action, the Examiner states:

- A. The following terms lack antecedent basis:
I. a method - Claims 2-12, 14-21, 24-30,
line 1.

Claims 2-12 have been amended to change the term "A method" to --The method--.

With respect to Claims 14-21, 24-30, Applicants note that line 1 does not contain the term "a method". However, Claims 14-21, 24-30 have been amended to change the term "A system" to --The system--.

Accordingly, Claims 2-12, 14-21, 24-30 satisfy 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph.

For the above reasons, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of this rejection.

6/7. Provisional rejection of Claims 1-30 under the
judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double
patenting.

The Examiner states:

This is a provisional obviousness-type double
patenting rejection because the conflicting claims
have not in fact been patented. (Office Action,
page 5, emphasis in original.)

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the
provisional rejection be held in abeyance until the
conflicting claims have in fact been patented.

8-27. Claims 1-30 are patentable over Daswani et al.
(6,477,565) in view of Kim (6,546,002).

Applicants respectfully submit that Daswani et al. has
been mischaracterized to deprecate Applicants' claimed
invention.

Daswani et al. teaches that a user registers a request
for data from a device such as a cellular telephone (see
col. 7, lines 7-11 for example.) As an example, the
requested data is for information about departure/arrival
parameters and gate instructions associated with purchased
airline tickets. (See col. 7, lines 22-25 for example.)
Based on this request, data such as a WEB page is located
and parsed for specific content such as travel reservations
to be returned (See col. 8, lines 1-10 for example). The
specific content (e.g., an HTML description of a flight
reservation) is restructured into the appropriate device-
specific format for transmission, e.g., an HTML description
of a flight reservations parsed from a WEB page is
restructured as a text block for return to the cellular
telephone. (See for example col. 9, lines 12-26.)

The Examiner states:

... As per claim 1, Daswani discloses ... c)
transferring a first directive file from said remote
server system to said software module, said first
directive file working in conjunction with said remote
server system, said software module identifying

installed computer related information on said computer-based device [col 3, lines 49-63; and col 9, lines 27-37]; ... (Office Action, page 5.)

The Examiner's statement is respectfully traversed. The Examiner cites Daswani et al. at col 3, lines 49-63; and col 9, lines 27-37, which simply teaches templates for locating WEB pages, parsing specific content (e.g., travel reservations) from the WEB pages and restructured the specific content into the appropriate device-specific format for transmission.

To illustrate, at col. 3, lines 49-63, as cited by the Examiner, Daswani et al. teaches:

In these and other embodiments the intermediary server system may maintain input and output templates for individual clients, the input templates having slots **mapping records by type as received from Internet sources**, and the output templates having slots **mapping data records by type to be transmitted to the client**, there being specific correlation between input template slots and output template slots for an individual client. **Data forms for transformation to transmit to client devices** may include one or more of conventional telephone protocol, Internet protocol telephony Protocol (IPNT), voice mail, e-mail, pager message, and records for applications common to personal digital assistants (PDAs), including one or more of appointment-book data records, memo-pad records, alarm records, and things-to-do records. (Emphasis added.)

Immediately following col. 3, lines 49-63 at col. 3, line 64 to col. 4, line 4, Daswani et al. provides an example:

In some cases **airline reservations retrieved for a client from the Internet are converted** into multiple appointment-book entries displayable by an appointment-book application on a PDA, one appointment book entry for each individual flight in a reservation. In these cases there may be an alarm generated for each flight at a time preceding flight time for each flight. A different alarm interval may be used for domestic flights than for International flights. (Emphasis added.)

Accordingly, the Examiner has failed to callout "a first directive file". Further, the Examiner has failed to callout where Daswani et al. teaches or suggests "said software module **identifying installed computer related information on said computer-based device**".

Kim does not cure this deficiency in Daswani et al. Accordingly, Daswani et al. in view of Kim does not teach or suggest:

A method for remotely extracting and storing computer related information across a network, said method comprising:

a) establishing a communications link between at least one computer-based device and a remote server system;

b) downloading a software module from said remote server system to said computer-based device;

c) **transferring a first directive file from said remote server system to said software module, said first directive file working in conjunction with said remote server system, said software module identifying installed computer related information on said computer-based device;**

d) said remote server system receiving a second directive file from said software module regarding said identified installed computer related information;

e) receiving from said software module a selected list of installed computer related information to be uploaded to said remote server system;

f) transferring a third directive file from said remote server system to said software module, said third directive file working in conjunction with said remote server system and said software module extracting said selected list of installed computer-related information;

g) said remote server system receiving said extracted information from said software module in a fourth directive file, and

h) said remote server system parsing said fourth directive file and storing said extracted information,

as recited in Claim 1, emphasis added. Accordingly, Claim 1 is allowable over Daswani et al. in view of Kim. Claims 2-12, which depend from Claim 1, are allowable for at least the same reasons as Claim 1. Claims 13 and 23 are allowable for reasons similar to Claim 1. Claims 14-22, which depend

from Claim 13, are allowable for at least the same reasons as Claim 13. Claims 24-30, which depend from Claim 23, are allowable for at least the same reasons as Claim 23.

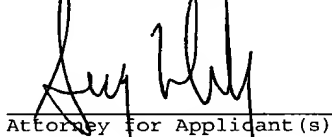
For the above reasons, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of this rejection.

Conclusion

Claims 1-30 are pending in the application. For the foregoing reasons, Applicants respectfully request allowance of all pending claims. If the Examiner has any questions relating to the above, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned Attorney for Applicant(s).

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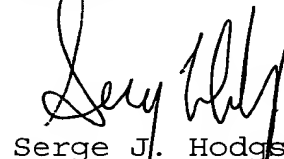


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